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AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL AND PETITION TO EXTEND TIME

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application in response to the Office Action mailed JANUARY 30, 2006. Applicant respectfully requests and extension of time of one month.

Authorization is made to charge the extension of time for one month of \$60 for small entity to Deposit Account No. 05-1135.

No additional fees are required. If any further fees are due, however, authorization hereby made to charge the amount of any other fee(s) to Deposit Account No. 05-1135 or to charge any overpayment thereto.

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A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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